

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The below listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listing, of claims in the Application. Applicant has made a good faith effort to list each and every prior claim, including any amendments or changes thereto (or status thereof) in this "Listing" section, however, should there be any discrepancy between the previous version of a claim (or status thereof) and the listing not explicitly amended, canceled or otherwise changed by this amendment, only the previous version (and status thereof) should be referred to as the intent of the Applicant.

Listing of the Claims:

Claims 1-10 (canceled)

Claim 11 (new) A tool for removing a pinblock from a piano comprising;

- a) a cylinder having a first face and a second face and an outer perimeter and a central axis, said outer perimeter surrounding said central axis;
- b) said cylinder having a first shaft extending outwardly from said first face of said cylinder parallel to and offset from said central axis;
- c) said cylinder having a second shaft extending outwardly from said second face of said cylinder parallel to and offset from said central axis.

Claim 11 (new) The tool as set forth in Claim 10, wherein:

- a) said first shaft includes a head thereon for receipt of a wrench.

Claim 12 (new) The tool as set forth in Claim 10, wherein:

- a) said first shaft and said second shaft are coaxial.

Claim 13 (new) The tool as set forth in claim 10, wherein:

- a) said cylinder is circular.

Claim 14 (new) The tool as set forth in claim 10, wherein:

- a) said cylinder is at least two inches in diameter.

Claim 15 (new) The tool as set forth in claim 10, wherein:

- a) said first shaft is offset from said central axis at least $\frac{1}{2}$ inch.

Claim 16 (new) A method of removing a pinblock from a piano comprising the steps of:

- a) drilling out dowels holding the pinblock in position;
- b) drilling a hole perpendicular to the surface of the pinblock near a glue joint for receiving a glue joint fracture tool;
- c) inserting a portion of said glue joint fracture tool into said hole, and;
- d) rotating said glue joint fracture tool to separate the pinblock from the piano case.

Claim 17 (new) The method as set forth in claim 16, wherein:

- a) said glue joint fracture tool includes a cylindrical portion having a diameter, and
- b) drilling said hole includes placement of said hole at a location spaced from said glue joint a distance less than one half the diameter of said glue joint fracture tool.

Claim 18 (new) The method as set forth in claim 16, wherein:

- a) said glue joint fracture tool includes a cylinder having an outer perimeter and a central axis, said outer perimeter surrounding said central axis;
- b) said cylinder having a first shaft extending outwardly from a first face of said cylinder parallel to and offset from said central axis;
- c) said cylinder having a second shaft extending outwardly from a second face of said cylinder parallel to and offset from said central axis.

Claim 19 (new) The method as set forth in claim 18, wherein:

- a) said first shaft includes a head thereon for receipt of a wrench.

Claim 20 (new) The method as set forth in claim 19, wherein:

- a) said first shaft and said second shaft are coaxial.

Claim 21 (new) The method as set forth in claim 20, wherein:

- a) said cylinder is circular.

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

The three attached sheets of drawings are submitted herewith in response to the drawing objection noted in the Office Action of April 4, 2005. The three attached sheets are being submitted as replacement and/or corrected sheets for drawing Figs. 1-8 as previously filed. It is believed that it is simpler and less confusing just to replace the prior drawings than to attempt to edit them. It is further asserted that the new drawings are supported by the original written description and drawings and photographs and that no new matter has been added.